

# County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

## Resolution No. R2023-0045

Sponsored by: <b>County Executive Ronayne</b>	<b>A Resolution</b> confirming the County Executive’s reappointment of various individuals to serve on the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board for the term 3/1/2023 – 2/28/2027 and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
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**WHEREAS**, Cuyahoga County Code Section 205.10 establishes an “advisory committee on children services” of Cuyahoga County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board shall provide independent perspective and feedback to the County and the Cuyahoga County Division of Children and Family Services (“DCFS”) leadership; and

**WHEREAS**, the Cuyahoga County Charter Section 6.04, entitled Special Boards and Commissions, states that “[w]hen general law or any agreement with another public agency or court order provides for appointment of members of a special board or commission or other agency by the board of county commissioners, such appointment shall be made by the County Executive, subject to confirmation by the Council,” and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Cuyahoga County Code Section 205.10, the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board shall consist of ten (10) appointed members; and

**WHEREAS**, members of the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board shall be appointed to serve a four-year term; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Executive has nominated the following individuals to serve on the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Advisory Board for the term 3/1/2023 – 2/28/2027 as follows:

Reappointments:

1. Andrew S. Garner, M.D., Ph.D. F.A.A.P.
2. Angela M. Newman-White
3. Lakecia Wild

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:**

**SECTION 1.** That the Cuyahoga County Council hereby confirms the County Executive’s reappointment of the following individuals to serve on the Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Board for the term 3/1/2023 – 2/28/2027 as follows:

Reappointments:

1. Andrew S. Garner, M.D., Ph.D. F.A.A.P.
2. Angela M. Newman-White
3. Lakecia Wild

**SECTION 2.** It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective for the usual daily operation of the County; the preservation of public peace, health, or safety in the County; and any additional reasons set forth in the preamble. Pursuant to Cuyahoga County Charter Section 3.10(5), provided that this resolution receives the affirmative vote of a majority of members of Council, this Resolution shall become immediately effective.

**SECTION 3.** It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

On a motion by Ms. Turner, seconded by Ms. Conwell, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Sweeney, Tuma, Gallagher, Conwell, Turner, Simon, Kelly, Miller and Jones

Nays: None

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County Council President

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Date

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Clerk of Council

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First Reading/Referred to Committee: February 28, 2023  
Committee(s) Assigned: Human Resources, Appointments & Equity

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